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1. Name Zhala Sabir		2. Registration No. 5783													
3. Residence Address(es) 1425 P Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005		4. Business Address(es) 1532 Sixteenth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036													
5. Year of Birth 1976 Nationality Kurdish-Iraqi Present Citizenship British		6. If present citizenship was not acquired by birth, indicate when, and how acquired. 1982 - Naturalized citizen													
7. Occupation Director of Congressional and Academic Affairs															
8. What is the name and address of the primary registrant? Name Kurdistan Regional Government-Liaison Office- USA Address 1532 Sixteenth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036															
9. Indicate your connection with the primary registrant: <table border="0"><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> partner</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> director</td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> employee</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> consultant</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> officer</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> associate</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> agent</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> subcontractor</td></tr><tr><td colspan="4"><input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) _____</td></tr></table>				<input type="checkbox"/> partner	<input type="checkbox"/> director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> employee	<input type="checkbox"/> consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> officer	<input type="checkbox"/> associate	<input type="checkbox"/> agent	<input type="checkbox"/> subcontractor	<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) _____			
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10. List every foreign principal to whom you will render services in support of the primary registrant. Kurdistan Regional Government															
11. Describe separately and in detail all services which you will render to the foreign principal(s) listed in Item 10 either directly, or through the primary registrant listed in Item 8, and the date(s) of such services. (If space is insufficient, a full page insert must be used.) See attached.															

12. Do any of the above described services include political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act and in the footnote below?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, describe separately and in detail such political activity.

See response to question 11, above, in particular items (d), (f), (g) and (i).

13. The services described in Items 11 and 12 are to be rendered on a

☒ full time basis

☐ part time basis

☐ special basis

14. What compensation or thing of value have you received to date or will you receive for the above services?

☒ Salary: Amount \$ 47,590.00 per annum ☐ Commission at _____ % of _____

☐ Salary: Not based solely on services rendered to the foreign principal(s).

☐ Fee: Amount \$ _____ ☐ Other thing of value _____

15. During the period beginning 60 days prior to the date of your obligation to register to the time of filing this statement, did you make any contributions of money or other things of value from your own funds or possessions and on your own behalf in connection with any election to political office or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for any political office? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Amount of thing of value	Name of political organization	Name of candidate
n/a			

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In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swears or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this registration statement and that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

April 16, 2010

(Date of signature)



(Signature)

Footnote: Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means any activity which the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

SUPPLEMENT TO SHORT-FORM REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Applicant: Zhala Sabir

11. Describe separately and in detail all services which you will render to the foreign principal(s) listed in Item 10 either directly, or through the primary registrant listed in Item 8, and the dates of such services.

As part of my employment with the Kurdistan Regional Government – Liaison Office – USA (hereinafter "KRG-USA"), which began on February 22, 2010, I will perform the following duties:

- (a) Working with outside consultants, supervise and coordinate all relations between KRG-USA and the U.S. Congress.
- (b) Serve as the initial point of contact of KRG-USA for congressional inquiries.
- (c) Provide advice and information to other KRG-USA Directorates on congressional issues.
- (d) Coordinate with the Director for Community Outreach in executing KRG-USA's efforts to mobilize the Kurdish Community in the U.S. to effectively lobby their elected representatives.
- (e) Provide the Kurdistan Regional Government of Iraq's Representative to the United States (hereinafter the "Representative") a weekly report on Congress relevant to Iraq and the Kurdistan Region.
- (f) Ensure sustained communication and interaction between KRG-USA and the offices of members of Congress interested in Iraq and Kurdistan.
- (g) Monitor, and occasionally initiate, with guidance from the Representative, actions in Congress related to Iraq and the Kurdistan Region.
- (h) Draft reports, summaries and analysis of key Congressional hearings, legislations, meetings and research papers relevant to Iraq and Kurdistan.
- (i) Working with the assigned control officer, assist in arranging congressional meetings for visiting delegations.
- (j) Working with members of the Kurdish American Congress Caucus, distribute a bi-monthly newsletter on developments in Iraq and the Kurdistan Region.
- (k) Act as principal liaison with the Academic and Think Tank communities.

- (l) Attend scheduled Think Tank luncheons, events, meetings related to U.S. policy, Iraq and the Kurdistan Region.
 - (m) Initiate efforts, in coordination with the Director for Public Affairs, on- and off-record meetings, roundtables and speeches for the Representative at reputable Think Tanks.
 - (n) Be aware of and develop academic initiatives and programs with U.S. universities and other academic institutions nationwide on matters related to Kurdistan.
 - (o) Attend official meetings/events with and/or on behalf of the Representative.
 - (p) Support KRG-USA team with administrative tasks and perform other related duties as assigned.
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